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SUBJ: UNDP: U.S. INITIATIVES ON USE OF ACCUMULATED NON-CON-
VERTIBLE CURRENCIES.

REF: (A) STATE 006774 (B) STATE 006775

1. EMBOFF DISCUSSED CO-SPONSORSHIP OF DRAFT RESOLUTION ON USE
OF UNDP ACCUMULATED NON-CONVERTIBLE CURRENCIES WITH FOREIGN
MINISTRY SUBSECRETARY FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND DIRECTOR OF
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AFFAIRS ON JANUARY 18. WHILE
BOTH OFFICIALS EXPRESSED INTEREST IN THE DRAFT RESOLUTION,
THEY WERE OF THE OPINION THAT THE GOB WOULD NOT FIND IT CON-
VENIENT TO USE SUCH NON-CONVERTIBLE CURRENCIES FOR EMBASSY/
CONSULATE OPERATIONS ABROAD. THEY WERE AMENABLE HOWEVER, TO
THE ARGUMENT THAT BOLIVIA WOULD BENEFIT FROM AN ACTUAL UNDP
BUDGET INCREASE RESULTING FROM THE LIQUIDATION OF NON-CONVER-
TIBLE CURRENCY CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXHIBITED A WILLINGNESS TO
SUPPORT THE PROPOSED RESOLUTION IF IT DID NOT REVEAL ANY NEGA-
TIVE FACTORS UPON MORE EXHAUSTIVE STUDY.

2. IN ORDER TO FOLLOW UP THIS INITIATIVE, EMBASSY WOULD APPRE-
CIATE RECEIVING CONFIRMATION OF BOLIVIA'S VOTING STATUS IN THE
UNDP GOVERNING COMMISSION, AND EXPLANATION OF THE OFFICIAL SOVIET
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BASIS FOR REFUSING THE JUNE 1976 U.S. PURCHASE OFFER AND ANY
FURTHER TALKING POINTS INDICATING DIRECT BENEFITS TO BOLIVIA
FROM THE PASSAGE OF THE RESOLUTION.

3. EMBOFF BROUGHT PROPOSAL TO ATTENTION OF LOCAL UNDP RESIDENT
REPRESENTATIVE ON JANUARY 19, WHO EXPRESSED ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORT
FOR THE U.S. INITIATIVE.

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